Road Development Authority in Madhya Pradesh

†3091. SHRI DILIP SINGH JUDEV: Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the dates when Chhattisgarh and Madhya Pradesh Road Development Authority were set up;

(b) the amount granted by the Central and State Governments to the same;

(c) the share of Chhattisgarh out of the same; and

(d) the details of the roads constructed in rural areas by the said authority?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS [MAJ. GEN. (RETD.) B.C. KHANDURI]: (a) No such authority has been set up in the State of Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh by the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Government of India.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Does not arise.

(d) Does not arise.

Roads converted into National Highways

3092. SHRI DWIJENDRA NATH SHARMAH: Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the Highways converted into National Highways during the last three years;

(b) the details of the funds allocated and utilised for the same during this period; and

(c) the details of the effective measures being taken or proposed to be taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS [MAJ. GEN. (RETD.) B.C. KHANDURI]: (a) 8527 km. of State roads have been converted into National Highways during the last three years.

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